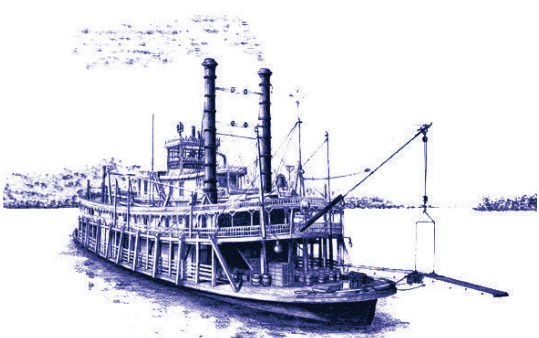




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Spectators look on as Doug Law (left), playing the bank manager, Delbert Reed (right), playing Claude Wyne, and Bryce Barnes (right center), playing a lawman, arrest Dupont Bank robbers, played by James Snell and Champ Claussen, during a reenactment at Saturday's Dupont Community Festival.

Dupont Community Festival

A reenactment of a foiled 1960 robbery, carnival games, a prince and princess contest and other festivities

were all part of the Dupont Community Festival held Saturday at Dupont Community Park.



Harper Auxier (left) and Jaxon Jauch right), both age 7, were crowned princess and prince, of Saturday's Dupont Community Festival.



Delbert Reed (left) played shop owner Claude Wyne and Mariah Stephens played bank customer Myrtle Reed during Saturday's Dupont Bank reenactment staged at Dupont Community Festival.

Refreshed Comfort Station opens with satellite visitor center

BY BOB DEMAREE

More than 20 years after a former gas station became Madison's Main Street Comfort Station, there was a ribbon cutting ceremony Thursday for its reopening to now also serve as a satellite visitors center operated by Visit Madison Inc. (VMI).

For much of the building's time as a comfort station, its chief function has been to provide public restrooms, but now it will be staffed by VMI seven days from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. through the fall season, providing resources for visitors, destination information and a gift shop



Visit Madison Inc. Executive Director Andrew Forrester gets help from his 5-year old son Kenton during Thursday's ribbon cutting ceremony for the refreshed Madison Comfort Station that now house a satellite visitor center operated by VMI.

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Poultry farm eyeing northeastern Jefferson County

BY BOB DEMAREE

The possibility of a chicken/egg farm locating in Shelby Township in northeastern Jefferson County was brought to the attention of the Jefferson County Commissioners at their meeting Thursday.

County Surveyor Mike Pittman reported that Texas-based Vital Farms Inc. in December purchased 81.79 acres at 9499 East Poplar Ridge Road near the borders of both Ripley and Switzerland counties.

With the county's Unified Development Ordinance providing for a threshold number below 30,000 laying hens, Pittman said Vital Farms seemingly would not need to go before the County Board of Zoning Appeals for the property, zoned agricultural, although he has asked County Attorney Patrick Magrath to do some legal analysis on the matter.

Pittman said he has made efforts to reach out to company representatives to better know Vital Farms' plans for the property. "I think the biggest thing is we need to be prepared," he said. "I want to try to get some information from" Vital Farms to know "exactly what's going to happen, how it's going to happen and when it's going to happen. We haven't got that information yet because we haven't met with them, and I would like to hear something from them."

Pittman said Vital Farms has not applied for any permits with the County's Building and Zoning office, but he understands they do have water and electric at the site. He and Building Inspector Josh Cline have been to the property, and Pittman said "we saw where they had done some land work but nothing structural" has yet been done.

"We've had some calls" in the planning office from residents who have concerns about the property, said Pittman, who stated one of the big issues is two 90-degree turns on Poplar Ridge Road to the property that would be challenging for semi trucks and also likely damaging to the road.

In October 2024 Vital Farms Inc. also purchased 80.43 acres at 7736 State Road 129, located about one-half mile from the Moorefield Fire Department in Switzerland County. The matter went before the Switzerland County Board of Zoning Appeals in December where com-

munity members expressed strong opposition.

Switzerland County Building Inspector Mark Archer said that application was withdrawn in January, adding that Vital Farms has now sold the property, which he said is within 750 feet of two houses. Archer said he required Vital Farms to submit its application as a restrictive commercial farm enterprise in order to require public input.

In April, there was a zoning special exemption application before the Ripley County Board of Zoning Appeals for a 20,000-chicken farm at 9850 West County Road 500N in Holton in Otter Creek Township that following public opposition was withdrawn before the meeting, according to the Versailles Republican.

In June 2024, the Seymour Tribune reported Vital Farms has plans for an egg washing and packing facility in Seymour.

According to the company's information, Vital Farms began with a single farm in Austin, Texas, in 2007, and now is a national consumer brand that works with more than 425 farms. Vital Farms' products, including shell eggs, butter, hard-boiled eggs, and liquid whole eggs, are sold in approximately 24,000 stores nationwide, and can also be found on the menus at hundreds of food service operations throughout the nation.

In other business, the Commissioners:

- Accepted a bid from Gosman Construction Inc. for \$10,500 for property cleanup of 3971 North Second Street in Deputy, owned by Amy Jo Hazelwood-Cull that has been deemed unsafe. There was one other bid from Coomes Excavating LLC for \$14,950. Cline said the structure has been vacant but neighbors have noticed a vehicle there, and it appears that people may be living inside it, meaning that before any clean up can be done, an eviction notice will need to be executed.

- With anticipation that a potential new Jefferson County Animal Shelter may built sometime in the future on a part of the county's 50-acre property where the Jefferson County Sheriff's Office and Criminal Justice Center is located, a wetlands delineation must be completed. The Commissioners approved moving

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CASA keeps riverfront car show tradition going this Saturday

BY BOB DEMAREE

The tradition of a car show on Madison’s riverfront is continuing this Memorial Day weekend with the inaugural Rumble on the River Car Show hosted 7 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Saturday by CASA of Jefferson County.

There was uncertainty about having a car show that weekend late last year after the River Rat Rodz Car Club announced its decision to discontinue hosting the event, but CASA of Jefferson County stepped up in February to host, something the organization’s executive director Whitney Roberts hopes CASA will do for years to come.

“A car show is something that I have always wanted to do as a fundraiser for CASA,” said Roberts who grew up in a family of car lovers — a passion that’s shared by her fiancé, Chad Pennington, who is the true leader behind the Rumble on the River Car Show. For the last few years, CASA has annually hosted a charity auction, but Roberts said “I wanted and needed a second major fundraiser for CASA,

and Chad has been a true champion for this mission. He’s doing it for the kids in this community.” The car show also has leadership from Joe Whitaker and Shannon Anderson.

There has been a Memorial Day weekend car show every year since 1996 when the event was hosted by Choice Automobiles of Madison (CAM) under the name of River Run Car Show. When CAM decided to discontinue hosting after 2010, the River Rat Rodz Car Club took over in 2011, changing the name to the Riverfront Run Car Show and making it a tremendous success with a record 643 cars at the 2023 event.

“We’re not doing the same car show. It’s a different car show by a different organization but we are continuing the tradition of having a car show on that day,” said Roberts.

The footprint of the car show will be similar to the past, stretching from Jefferson Street to Mill Street along Vaughn Drive, as well as a few of the side streets along there.

Cars will arrive beginning at 7 a.m. until noon through Jefferson Street, a change from recent years when they arrived on Broadway Street. Roberts said they are hoping to avoid having lines backed up at arrival by keeping cars moving, and also utilizing both sides of Jefferson Street. The event is free to spectators who Roberts said can come as early as the 7 a.m. if they want to watch the cars arrive, or wait until afternoon when they’re all in place on the riverfront.

Registration for cars is \$25 on the day of the show. There will be 30 award categories and more than 50 trophies. Those who preregistered were guaranteed a dash plaque. There is also a special category for kids to vote with the kids who vote receiving a “I voted” sticker and a hot wheel.

The event will include live music by Keagan Hatton, Ethan Priest and Craig Cole at Lamplighter Park. Roberts said the musicians will be performing separately and also together from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday.

There will be a cornhole tournament. Sign-ups for the Bring-your-own-partner event are at 9:30 a.m. with competition beginning at 10 a.m.

A blind draw tournament has sign ups at 12:30 p.m. with competition beginning at 1 p.m.

The event hopes to begin an annual tradition with collectible Rumble on the River coins from Royer Corporation.

The event is being coordinated with Visit Madison Inc.’s Serpent of 62 motor trail REVerie Roads experience that allows car show participants to travel on the way to the car show, or on their way home.

CASA of Jefferson County is a nonprofit organization that recruits, educates, and supports CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocate) volunteers who advocate in the best interest of children who fall victim to neglect and abuse. Roberts said funds raised from the car show will support marketing to recruit CASA volunteers, CASA volunteer trainings, ongoing CASA education, and more.

“We’re constantly planting seeds in this work,” said Roberts, as CASA help children through difficult situations by showing up and being there for them. “Statistically, it’s been proven that just being there for them, and being consistent that it changes their lives.”

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highlighting Madison-branded merchandise.

“Returning to having a permanent, visible presence right in the heart of Main Street is a major step for Visit Madison,” said Andrew Forrester, tourism director at Visit Madison. “We know that’s where our visitors are — walking, exploring, and deciding where they want to shop, eat, and tour. This satellite visitor center gives us the opportunity to meet them where they are and help them discover the full spectrum of experiences our community has to offer.”

Improvements on the Comfort Station have taken place over the course of the last six months, but work has ramped up in the last six weeks. New ceiling tiles, flooring, window graphics, sinks, restroom partitions, and interior and exterior lighting highlight some of the improvements.

Funding for the work was made possible through a grant from the Jefferson County Board of Tourism and City of Madison American Rescue Plan funds specifically allocated for use in tourism.

“This project represents what is possible when partners come together with a shared vision for our community,” said Mayor Bob Courtney. “The Comfort Station has long been a vital part of our downtown infrastructure, and now it’s being reimaged in a way that enhances both quality of life for residents and the experience for visitors. We’re proud to support Visit Madison in creating a welcoming, accessible space that reflects the charm and vitality of our Main Street.”

The city purchased the building in March 2002 for \$95,000 that was at the time

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serving as Main Street Auto Works. For many years before that, it was a gas station.

When purchase of the property was approved at the City Council meeting March 19, 2002, Mayor Al Huntington said said the building’s outward appearance would be retained but modified enough to return it to the look of a gas station in the 1940s or early 1950s. “The first step is toward encouraging tourism, and to show our merchants we are committed to them,” Huntington was quoted in The Madison Courier.

Visit Madison will continue to maintain its full offices across from the Lanier Mansion at 601 West First Street in partnership with the Indiana State Museum and Historic Sites. The decision to have a daily-staffed satellite visitor center at the Comfort Station follows a six-week trial there in the fall of 2023. A decision on winter hours for Comfort Station staffing after the fall season will be evaluated late in the year based on visitor needs and operational logistics.

DEATH NOTICES

Billy Joe Carpenter, 72, of Ghent, KY, died Wednesday, May 14, 2025. Funeral service is at 1 p.m. Tuesday, May 20, at Garnett-New Funeral Home in Warsaw, KY, with burial to follow at Walnut Valley Cemetery near Ghent, www.gnmfh.com.

Ruby Ilene Chubb Newell, 98, of Madison, IN, died Saturday, May 17, 2025, at Norton King’s Daughters’ Hospital in Madison. Arrangements will be announced by Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison,

and Hanover, IN, www.morgan-nay.com.

Tabitha Gail Goff-Smith, 45, of Pendleton, KY, died Monday, May 12, 2025, at her residence. Private memorial services will be held at late date. Arrangements by Ransdell Funeral Home of Campbellsburg, KY, www.ransdellfuneral.com.

Mary Agnes Taylor McAarter, 77, of Carrollton, KY, died Thursday, May 15, 2025, at Norton Brownsboro Hospital in Louisville. Fuenral service will be at 1 p.m.

Wednesday, May 21 at Graham-Dunn Funeral Home in Carrollton, with burial to follow at the English Cemetery near Carrollton, www.grahamdunnfh.com.

Betty Johnson Wood, 85, died Wednesday, May 14, 2025, in Carrollton, KY. Funeral service was Saturday, May 17, at Tandy-Eckler-Riley Funeral Home in Carrollton, with interment in the Carrollton I.O.O.F. Cemetery there, www.tandyecklerrileyfuneralhome.com.

NEWS OF RECORD

JEFFERSON COUNTY CRIMINAL JUSTICE CENTER Lodgings May 15, 2025

Darlene Marie Bare, 54, Vevay, Indiana, Unlawful Possession of Use of a Legend Drug, a Level 6 felony; and Visiting a Common Nuisance, a Class B misdemeanor. Bond \$2,500 cash.

Skyler Austin Hoffman-Jenkins, 29, Hanover, on a court-ordered sentencing for probation violation. No bond.

Daniel McClellan, 40, Madison, for Invasion of Privacy, a Class A misdemeanor. No bond.

Aidan Triplett, 18, Madison, for Domestic Battery-Prior Unrelated Conviction for Battery Against Same Family or Member, a Level 5 felony; Domestic Battery, a Level 6 felony; and Resisting Law Enforcement, a Class A misdemeanor. No bond.

Charles Robert Turner, 58, Madison, for Dealing/Possessing a Synthetic Drug or Lookalike Substance, a Class A misdemeanor; and Fraud-Interfere with a Drug/Alcohol Screening and Visiting a Common Nuisance, a Class B misdemeanor. Bond \$500 cash.

May 16, 2025

Walter Von Taylor, 54, Bedford, Kentucky, on a Jefferson County warrant for Failure to Appear (OWI), possession and resisting law enforcement-vehicle). No bond.

May 17, 2025

Matthew Dee Monroe, 47, Madison, for Habitual Traffic Violator, a Level 6 felony. No bond.

Joshua William Torrance, 39, Madison, for Possession of Methamphetamine, a Level 6 felony; and Driving While Suspended-Prior Suspension Within 10 Years, a Class A misdemeanor. No bond

May 18, 2025

Korinne J. Stevenson, 34, Madison, for Resisting Law Enforcement, a Level 6 felony; and Resisting Law Enforcement, a Class A mis-

demeanor. No bond. **May 19, 2025**

Michael Eugene Adams, 63, Richmond, Indiana, for Possession of Cocaine or Narcotic Drug, a Level 5 felony; Possession of a Legend Drug or Precursor and Possession of a Syringe, a Level 6 felony; and Operating a Vehicle While Intoxicated and Possession of Paraphernalia, both Class C misdemeanors.

JEFFERSON COUNTY CIRCUIT & SUPERIOR COURT Sentencings May 14, 2025

Jeanie Carol Lansberg, 56, Commiskey, Indiana, to an amended charge of Conspiracy to Deal in Methamphetamine, a Level 4 felony. Sentenced to 2,190 days at Indiana Department of Correction with credit for 308 days jail served and 1,825 days suspended to supervised probation plus \$1,189 in fees and court costs,

Charles S. Griswold, 40, Madison, to an amended charge of Intimidation, a Level 5 felony. Sentenced to 6 years at Indiana Department of Corrections with one year suspended, credit for 123 days jail served plus \$389 in fees and court costs, stayed, and No Contact Order to be modified as a part of the sentencing.

May 15, 2025

Brittany N. Jenkins, 37, Madison, to an amended charge of Visiting a Common Nuisance, a Class B misdemeanor. Sentenced to 62 days jail, served, plus \$289 in fees and court costs.

Skyler Austin Hoffman-Jenkins, 25, Hanover, to an amended charge of Neglect of a Dependent, a Level 6 felony. Sentenced to 2 years at Indiana Department of Correction with 365 days executed and 365 days suspended to supervised probation and credit for 2 days jail served plus \$385 in fees and court costs and No Contact Order to continues.

Lillian Kay Fulton, 19, Madison, to amended

charges of Operating While Intoxicated Causing Serious Bodily Injury, a Level 5 Felony; and Operating While Intoxicated, a Class A misdemeanor. Sentenced to 1,095 days at Indiana Department of Correction on the felony with 180 days executed, 913 days suspended and credit for 4 days jail served; concurrent to 365 days jail on the misdemeanor with 180 days executed. Placed on supervised probation for 913 day plus \$789.50 in fees and court costs, ordered to pay restitution to Susan Ash in the amount of \$5,000.00 cash, and driver’s license suspended for 2 years;

Joshua C. Marksberry, 40, Carrollton, Kentucky, to an amended charge of Domestic Battery, a Level 6 felony. Sentenced to 540 days at Indiana Department of Correction, fully executed, with credit for 298 days jail served plus \$439 in fees and court costs, restitution in an amount to be determined and No Contact Order to continue.

Zachary Thad Watson, 31, Madison, to an amended charge of Cemetery Mischief, a Level 6 felony and Habitual Felony Offender. Sentenced to 365 days at Indiana Department of Correction with 1,095 day enhancement, fully executed, with credit for 220 days jail served and consecutive to 400 days revoked probation related to prior felony (possession of methamphetamine) plus \$389 in fees and court costs.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Jefferson County May 15, 2025

INDYRE LLC to David Varble, 5934 West Jackson Road, Hanover.

Timothy R. Cox, Terrie Cox (estate) and Estate of Terri Cox to Savannah McDowell, Terry McDowell (guardian), Rebecca Foster, Ryan Foster (guardian) Jewel Foster (guardian) and Sharon Hollingsworth (life estate), 112 East Fourth Street, Madison.

Clarence E. Clark and Regenia Clark to Revocable Living Trust of Clarence E. Clark and Regenia Clark, 120 Montclair Street, Madison.

First National Acceptance Company to Blackstar Stability Revitalization Trust F1, 281 October Street, Hanover. Timothy B. Breeding, Leslie Ford and Joel B. Breeding, to Timothy B. Breeding, Leslie Ford, Joel B. Breeding and Jody F. Breeding, 9241+ N0rth Breeding Road, Madison.

Kevin R. Burnette and Tanya Burnette to Isiah Barber and Brianna Hearld, 10662 North Reynolds Road, Dupont.

Nadja L. Keach and Jeffrey Cleon Knox (attorney) to Thomas M. Keach, two parcel totaling approximately 27.2 acres at 5479 West State Road 256, Madison.

Charles S. Barnes and Delores E. Barnes to Charles S. Barnes, Delores E. Barnes and Barnes Farms LLC, approximately 7.8 acres at 1381 North 1100 West, Deputy.

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Jerri Lynn Burns to Michael K. Burns, Jerri Lynn Burns and Seth Dalton Sampson, parcels totaling approximately 12 acres at 1750 South Rogers Road, Lexington,

Jerri L. Burns and Jerri Lynn Burns to Michael K. Burns and Jerri Lynn Burns, 8200+ West State Road 256, Madison.

Jerri L. Burns and Jerri Lynn Burns to Michael K. Burns and Jerri Lynn Burns, 1445 Michigan road, Madison.

Harold W. Mason and Kelly M. Mason to Corey McDarment, 2329 Cragmont Street, Madison.

Jannette L. Ayler to Jessica Aldridge, 13567 West 163 North, Deputy.

Jannette L. Ayler to Kathleen Roberts, 13567 West 163 North, Deputy.

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forward with Three Rivers Wetland Consulting of Fort Wayne for \$6,700, which was selected over AquaTerra Consulting of Franklin for approximately \$8,000.

• County Highway Superintendent Jason

Copeland said that on Wednesday, May 14, he traveled with representatives from FEMA and Indiana Homeland Security to observe county roads impacted by recent flooding including all roads with slippage. “I’m very hopeful” that the county will receive disaster funding for the road repairs, he said, but noting that is still not for certain.

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Editor’s Note: Got a birthday or anniversary coming up? Send name, date and number of years (optional) to zelda@madisoncourier.com or call 812-265-3641. Please leave your name and phone number in case we have followup questions.

BIRTHDAYS

May 20
Debbie Kroger
May 21
Judy Eades

May 22
Robin Cull
Tina Leas
Darlene Minor
Kathi Scroggins
May 23
Darlene Yarnetsky
May 25
Darleen Connolly
May 27
Jim Demaree
Blake Deuser
Megan Varble

ANNIVERSARIES
None

WEATHER

Sunrise 6:23 a.m.
Sunset 8:53 p.m.
Temperature High 77, Low 57, Mean 67.0, Excess 1.4
Precipitation since last published:
Precipitation, May 2025: 56
Precipitation, 2025: 7.43
Barometer 29.91, Rising
River Level at Clifty Creek 30.17, Rising
Forecast: Wednesday: Mostly cloudy High 66/Low 51; Thursday: Mostly cloudy High 57/Low 45; Friday: Partly cloudy High 66/Low 47; Saturday: Partly cloudy High 70/Low 51.

LOTTERIES

INDIANA
Hoosier Lotto 10-14-15-17-31 (5/17). Estimated Jackpot: \$4 million. Next Drawing (5/21).
Cash Five 1-21-24-33-36 (5/18)
Cash 4 Life 3-9-10-11-40 CB: 4 (5/18)

KENTUCKY
Cash Ball 1-14-21-29 CB 2 (5/18)
Lucky For Life 1-3-4-18-30 LB: 8 (5/18)
MEGAMILLIONS 2-22-42-62-66 MB: 14 (5/16). Next Jackpot: \$139 million. Next Drawing (5/20)
POWERBALL 7-34-40-42-52 PB: 15, PP 2 (5/17). Next Estimated Jackpot: \$134 million. Next Drawing (5/19)
POWERBALL DOUBLE PLAY 4-18-31-34-37 PB: 17 (5/17). Next Estimated Jackpot: Up to \$10 million. Next Drawing (5/19)

OBITUARIES

Judy A. Barbeau



Judy A. Barbeau, age 77, of La Grange, IL, formerly of Commiskey, and Hanover, IN, entered this life on May 2, 1948, in Elkhart, IN. She was the loving daughter of the late Albert and Bertha Frederick Bowser. She was a loving mother to daughter Dawn (Mark) and loving Grandmother to Olivia and Ernie. She was a 1966 graduate of Elkhart High School, earned a bachelor's degree in nursing, and a master's degree in psychiatric nursing from Indiana University. She lived in the area from 1970 to 2022. Judy had worked as a Registered Nurse since 1970, ultimately retiring as the Director of Nursing at the Madison State Hospital in 2010. She also taught the Qualified Medication Aide Course at the Southeastern Career Center in Versailles. Judy was a Mary Kay cosmetics independent consultant, a member of North Madison Christian Church, Sigma Theta Tau - Nursing Honorary Association, Indiana State Nursing Association, and was an

Indiana University Alumnus. She enjoyed reading, gardening, bird watching, dancing, and traveling. She loved oceans and lighthouses so much that she had a nautical themed room in her home. Judy loved spending time with her daughter, son in law, grandchildren, and many friends. Judy died on Saturday May 17 th, 2025, at the MacNeal Hospital in Berwyn, IL.

Judy will be missed by her loving daughter, Dawn Michelle Gormely, Dawn's husband Mark, granddaughter Olivia and grandson Ernie of La Grange Park, IL, sister-in-law Marie Bowser and other relatives. She was preceded in

death by her father, Albert Bowser, her mother, Bertha Frederick Bowser, her brother, Jim Bowser, and her longtime companion Steven Smith. Funeral services will be conducted on Thursday, May 22, 2025, at 1 p.m., by Bro. Bob Hicks at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive Madison, IN. Interment will follow in the Hanover Cemetery in Hanover, IN. Friends may visit Thursday, May 22, 2025, from 11 a.m., until the time of service at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, IN. The Southeastern Indiana Nurse Honor Guard will conduct a service at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Diabetes Association. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison, and Hanover. Online condolences, remembrances, and memorials, can be left at www.morgan-nay.com.

Karen Lynn Wentworth Brierly



Karen Lynn Wentworth Brierly, age 76, of Bedford, KY, entered this life on Nov. 17, 1948, in Madison, IN. She was the loving daughter of the late Otis Carroll and Mary Ida McKay Wentworth. She was raised in Trimble County, and graduated in 1966 from Trimble County High School. On June 26, 1965, she was united in marriage to Ira Glen Brierly at the Bedford Christian Church. This happy union of nearly 60 years was blessed with daughters, Karen Sherele and Angela Denise and sons, Glenn Eric and Jonathan Lowell. She was a devoted wife, loving mom, grandma, and homemaker. She worked for 15 years in pediatrics at the King's Daughters' Hospital in Madison, IN. Karen was a faithful member of the Children of the King Church in Bedford, where she worked in missions, providing clothes, meals, and support, wherever needed. She loved her church work, her family, and could play the piano by ear. Karen died on Sunday, May 18, 2025, at 5:30 a.m., at her resi-

dence in Bedford, KY. Karen will be missed by her loving husband of nearly 60 years, Ira Glen Brierly of Bedford, KY; her daughters, Karen Sherele Neisius and her husband, Lemuel of Greensburg, IN, Angela Denise French and her husband Charles Dewayne of Louisville, KY; her sons, Glenn Eric Brierly and his wife, Lee Ann of Bedford, KY, Jonathan Lowell Brierly and his wife, Olivia Claire of Louisville, KY; her grandchildren, Dea, Niki, Drew, April, Alysha, Amanda, Ashley, Kelsi, Kayla, Joshua, and Henry; 16-great grandchildren; her brother, Marion Wentworth and his wife, Elizabeth of Bedford, KY; her sisters, Anita Rowlett of

Bedford, KY, Yvonne Brierly of Bedford, KY; her sister in law, Betty Heaton of Milton, KY; several nieces, nephews, and other relatives. She was preceded in death by her parents, Otis Carroll and Mary Ida McKay Wentworth and her brothers, Gary, Ed and Darrell Wentworth. Funeral services will be conducted Saturday, May 24, 2025, at 10:30 a.m., by Preacher Clifton Hartley at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, IN. Interment will follow in the Bedford Cemetery in Bedford, KY. Friends may visit Friday, May 23, 2025, from 4 - 7 p.m., and Saturday, May 24, 2025, from 9 a.m., until the time of service at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive Madison. Memorial contributions may be made to The Lord's Kitchen. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison, and Hanover. Online condolences, remembrances, and memorials, can be left at www.morgan-nay.com.

Miss Ivory A. Snell-Barnes



Miss Ivory A. Snell-Barnes, age 6, of Hanover, IN, entered this life on April 9, 2019, in Madison, IN. She was the loving daughter of Chance Barnes and Dorothy J. Snell. She resided all of her life in Jefferson County, and was currently in kindergarten at Southwestern Elementary School in Hanover, IN. She enjoyed participating in cheerleading and running club in school. Ivory liked to play Barbies, riding her bike, making videos, dancing, and playing outside. Ivory died on Tuesday, May 13, 2025, at 8:42 p.m. in a car accident at State Road 256 and US 31 in Austin, IN.

Snell of Cross Plains, IN, Karrie Wiefeling of Madison, IN; her great grandparents, Roger and Donna Snell of Hanover, Steve and Susan Banta of Cross Plains; her uncles and her aunts, Vincent Wiefeling and his wife, Whitney, Zach Wiefeling, Stoner Wiefeling, Kayla Shouse and her husband, Devon, Dakota Snell, and Kassandra Snell; her cousins, Daniel, Lillian, Hunter, Paisley, D.J., Alexis, Easton, Barrett, Karmon, Olivia, and Luna;

several great aunts, great uncles, and other relatives. She was preceded in death by her grandfather, David Barnes. Funeral services will be conducted Friday, May 23, 2025, at 11 a.m., by Pastor Scott Kollmann at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, IN. Interment will follow in the Moffett Cemetery in Milton, KY. Friends may visit Thursday, May 22, 2025, from 4 - 7 p.m., and Friday, May 23, 2025, from 9 a.m., until the time of service at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre in Madison, IN. Memorial contributions may be made to the Ivory Snell Remembrance Fund. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison, and Hanover. Online condolences, remembrances, and memorials, can be left at www.morgan-nay.com.

Margaret Helen Fisher Sage



Margaret Helen Fisher Sage, age 100, of Madison, IN, entered this life on Nov. 1, 1924, in Trimble County, KY, near Bedford. She was the loving daughter of the late Charles Clifford and Mamie Ruth Moore Fisher. She was united in marriage on June 9, 1942, in Carrollton, KY, to William H. Sage, Sr. This happy union of 67 years was blessed with a son, William Henry, Jr. and a daughter, Sharon. She worked early in life for the ASCS Office in Madison. She was a loving homemaker and enjoyed her family. She liked to read, do needlepoint, and work in her flowers. She was a member of the First Baptist Church and a member of NARFE. Margaret died on Thursday, May 15, 2025, at 3:50 p.m., at the Hosparus Inpatient Unit of Norton Pavilion in

Louisville, KY. Margaret will be missed by her loving daughter, Sherri L. Sage of Madison, IN; her daughter in law, Linda M. Claflin Sage of Madison, IN; her granddaughter, Alison J. Sutton and her husband, Ric of Atlanta, GA; her brother, Glenn Allen Fisher of Bedford, KY; her nieces and nephews, Mark Schafer, Vicki Neff, Charles Sage and Dennis Sage and other relatives. She was preceded in

death by her father, Charles Clifford Fisher, her mother, Mamie Ruth Moore Fisher, her husband of 67 years, William H. Sage, Sr., died July 3, 2009, her brother, Bobby Gene Fisher, her sister, Charlotte Shafer, infant sister, Geraldine Fisher, her son, William Henry "Bill" Sage Jr., her nephews, Mark Fisher and Rodney Sage. A graveside service will be held at Grandview Memorial Gardens, 92306 North U.S. 421 near Madison, IN. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association or the American Cancer Society. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison, and Hanover. Online condolences, remembrances, and memorials, can be left at www.morgan-nay.com.

Carolyn Mae Reed Curry



Carolyn Mae Reed Curry, 81, of Anderson, IN, passed away peacefully on May 14, 2025. Born in Madison, IN, on April 4, 1944, she was a devoted mother, grandmother, and friend, who lived with grace, humor, and quiet strength. For over 24 years, Carolyn served as a secretary at Madison Heights High School, where she was known for her kindness, reliability, and the warm relationships, she built with students and staff alike. She loved gardening, shopping trips with her daughter Jenni, and cherished sleepovers with her granddaughter Ireland. Carolyn also had a lifelong love of horses, and a passion for traveling out west, where she found beauty and peace, in the wide-open landscapes. Carolyn is survived by,

her son, Michael Curry, her daughter, Jenni Curry, her granddaughter, Ireland Curry, several nieces, and nephews, great nieces, and nephews, several sister in laws, and brother in laws, and special family friends, who Carolyn loved dearly, Melissa Ogle, Manuel Buckey, and Carolyn Haynes. She was preceded in death by her husband, Lee R. Curry, her brother, Russell Wayne Reed, her sisters, Bobby White and

Dorothy Greenwood, her mother, Rowena Cathrine McClure, and her father, James Robert Walls. Funeral services will be conducted Tuesday, May 20, 2025, at 1 p.m., by Kevin Davis at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive Madison, IN. Interment will follow in the Brooksburg Cemetery in Brooksburg, IN. Friends may visit Tuesday, May 20, 2025, from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m., at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison. Memorial contributions may be made to the Animal Protection League-Anderson. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison, and Hanover. Online condolences, remembrances, and memorials, can be left at www.morgan-nay.com.

Deloris Caroline (Penn) Bovard

Deloris Caroline (Penn) Bovard, age 88, of Rising Sun, IN, entered this life on Oct. 21st, 1936. Born in Milan, IN, she was the loving daughter, and only child, of the late Ernest Eugene and Mary Elizabeth (Ake) Penn. Deloris left this world and went home to be with her Lord and Savior at age 88, at 3:38 p.m., Thursday, May 15th, 2025, at Hospice Care of St. Elizabeth in Edgewood, KY, surrounded by her loving family. Deloris will be forever missed by her loving children, Stephen Bovard of Rising Sun, Direnda Ray (Mickey) of Rising Sun, Ernest Bovard (Suzi) of East Enterprise, Venita Thomas (Anthony) of Patriot, Lynn Nutley (Keith) of Madison, and Mark Bovard (Bob) of Rising Sun; her grandchildren, Mickie Lynn Furnish (Michael), Donald Bovard

(Jenny), Emy Jo Duke (Brandon), Terri Sarver (Derik), Christopher Bovard, Justin Thomas, Jessica Gibbs, Ashley Field (Scott), Cain Nutley, and Jade Nutley; her great-grandchildren, Noah Hughes (Katie), Kirsten Furnish, Aiden Furnish, Olivia Potraffke (Bryce), Nya Bovard, Meghan Bovard, Jacob Bovard, Alli McClellan, Briar Duke, Andrew Sarver, Ava Field, Lillian Gibbs, Landon Gibbs, Easton Thomas, and Mason Thomas and her great-great-grandchildren, Maylee and Amelia June Hughes and her several nieces, nephews, and other relatives. She was preceded in death by her husband, Robert (Bobby) Bovard, died Jan. 22, 1994; her parents, Ernest Eugene Penn, and Mary Elizabeth (Ake) Penn; her daughter-in-law, Debbie (Works) Bovard;

her brother-in-law, Nathan Bovard, and her sister-in-law, Barbara (Bovard) Armand. Visitation will be held from 4 - 7 p.m., Tuesday, May 20, 2025, at the Haskell & Morrison Funeral Home, 208 Ferry Street, Vevay, IN, 47043. Funeral Services will be conducted at 11 a.m., Wednesday, May 21, 2025, by Pastor Mike Sawalich, at the Haskell & Morrison Funeral Home in Vevay, IN. Internment will follow at the Rising Sun New Cemetery, Rising Sun, IN. Memorial contributions may be made to the Mount Sterling Baptist Church, Aberdeen Community Church, or The Carol Ann & Ralph V. Haile Jr. Foundation Hospice Center. Cards are available at the funeral home or online at www.haskellandmorrison.com.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

EVENTS

Veterans Day Program
English Christian Church
Carrollton, KY,
Sunday, May 25, 4-6 p.m.
The English Christian Church will hold a special Memorial Day service on May 25, recognizing the 62 deceased veterans who are members of the church from World War I until today.

FOOD DISTRIBUTIONS
Salvation Army Food Bank
331 East Main St., Madison

Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays Noon-1 p.m.
A food giveaway at the red door on east side of building. Bring your own bags.
For more information, call 812-265-2157.
House of Hope Food Pantry
100 East 2nd St., Madison
Tuesdays 5-7 p.m.; Fridays 9-11 a.m.
A food giveaway and distribution at the Jefferson County House of Hope Food Pantry in downtown Madison.
Please arrive at the pantry 15 minutes prior to closing to

be served.
North Madison Christian Church Food Pantry
1400 East State Road 62
Saturday, May 24 — 8-10 a.m.
A food distribution at the church on the fourth Saturday of each month (with the exception of holidays).
Free with no qualifications.

CLOTHING DISTRIBUTIONS
Jesus Clothes Closet
Trinity United Methodist

Church
412 W. Main St., Madison
Mondays, 9-11 a.m.
Jesus Clothes Closet distributes free clothing to those in need.
For more information, call 812-866-4843.

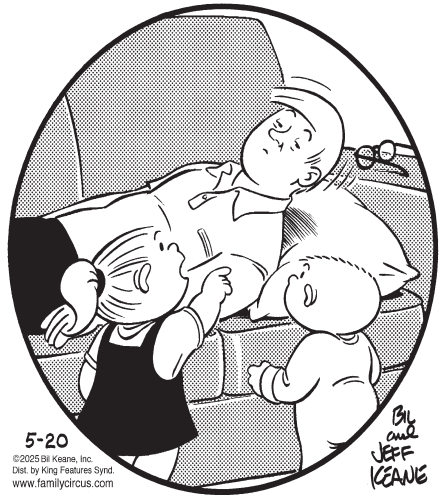
SENIOR EVENTS
Hanover Senior Citizens Center
Exercising: The Hanover Senior Citizens Program is offering free exercising at the Hanover Park Community Cen-

ter on Mondays and Thursdays, 10 a.m.
Lunch: The Hanover Senior Citizens Program is serving lunch at noon on Fridays at the Hanover Park Community Center.
Cost is \$5 and RSVP is required by calling 812-498-2894.
Madison Senior Citizens Center
Senior Meals: Lifetime Resources will be providing congregate meals at the Madison Senior Center, 208 West Main St. on Tuesday and Thurs-

days from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Meals are free for anyone over age 60 with a suggested donation of \$6. Meals are \$6 for anyone under age 60.
Game Days: The Madison Senior Citizens Center hosts weekly card days and Bingo at the Senior Citizens Center in downtown Madison.
The schedule includes Euchre on Mondays and Thursdays from noon until 10 games are completed and Bingo on Tuesday, 10-11:30 a.m.
The games are free and open to senior citizens.

THE FAMILY CIRCUS

By Bil Keane



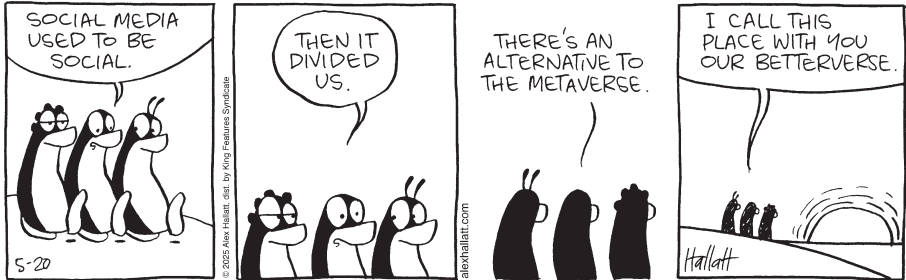
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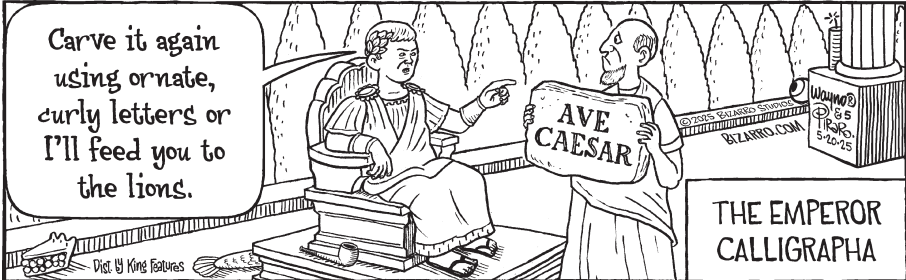


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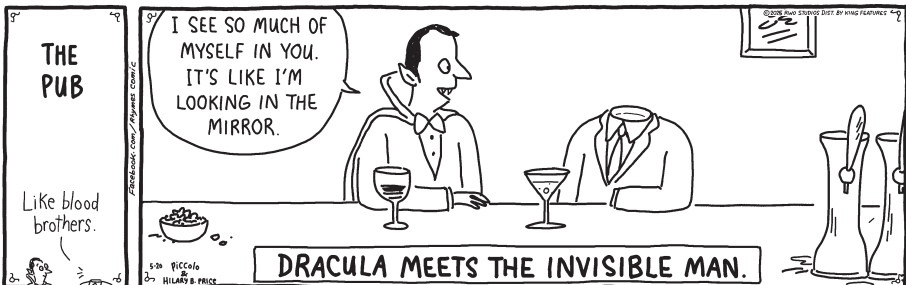
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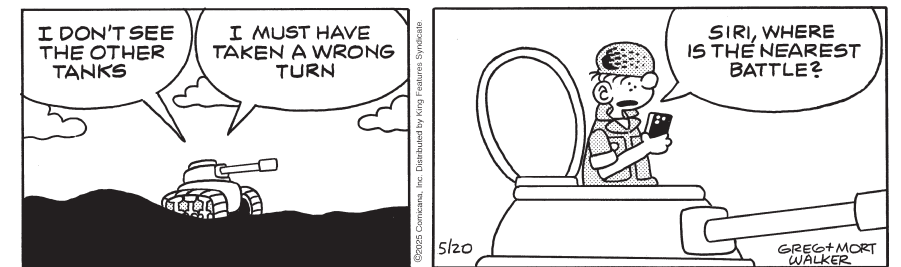
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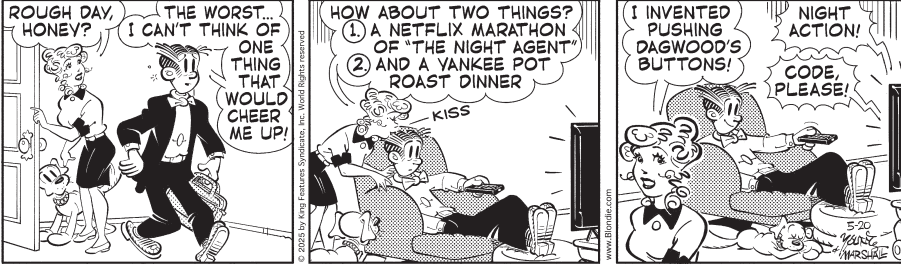
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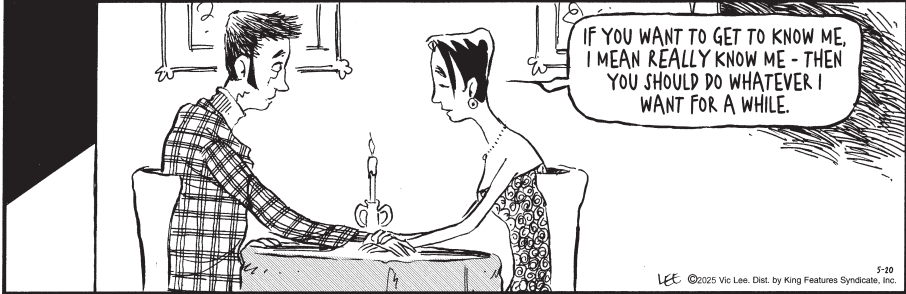
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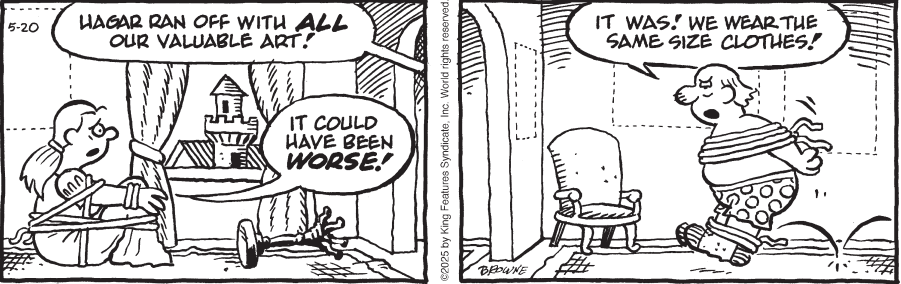
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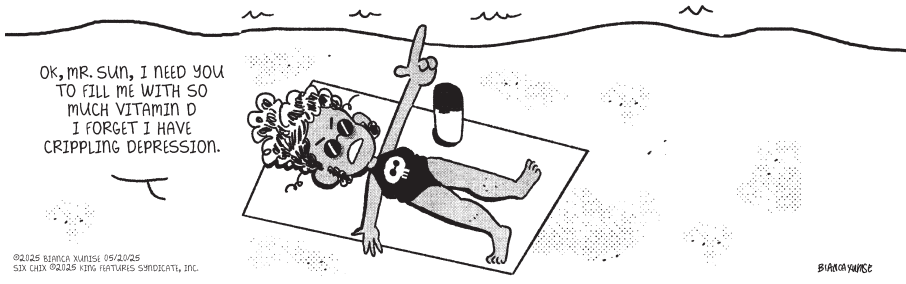
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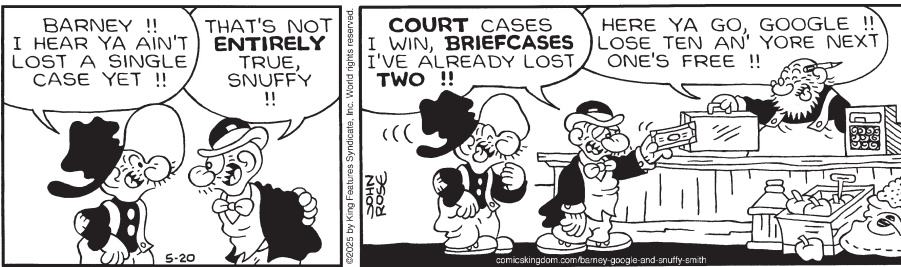
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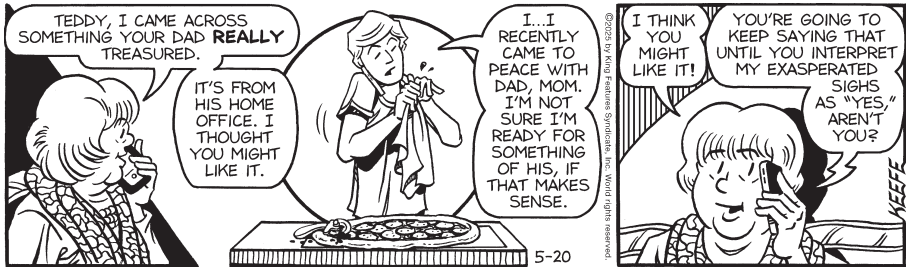
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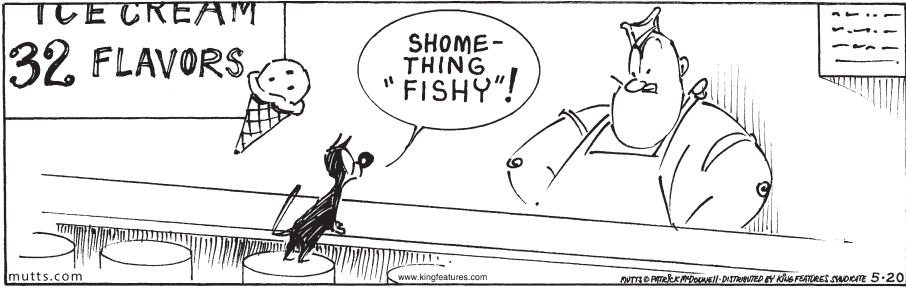
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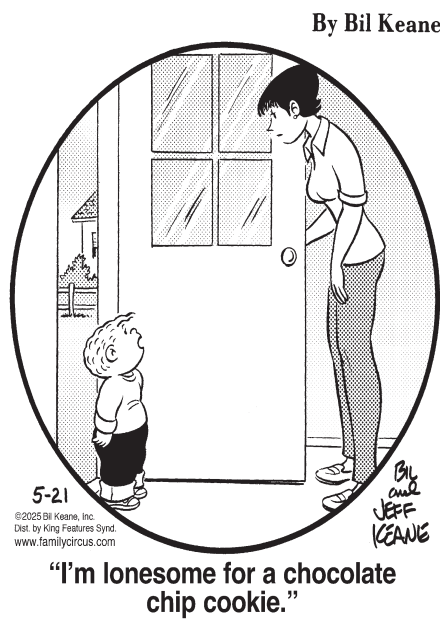
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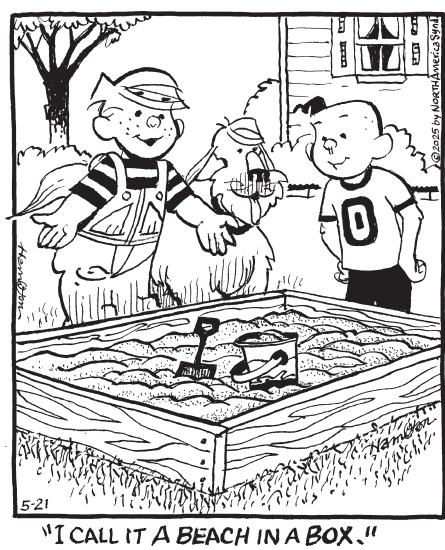
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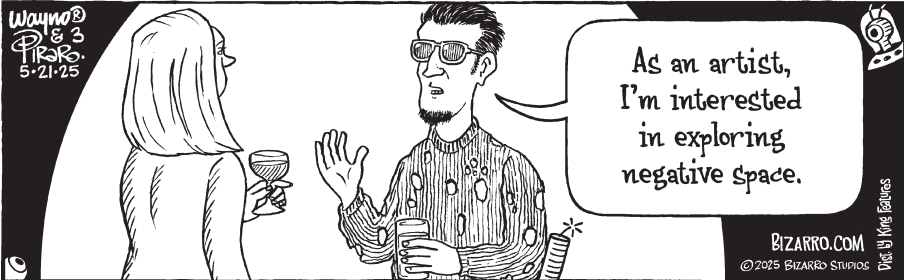
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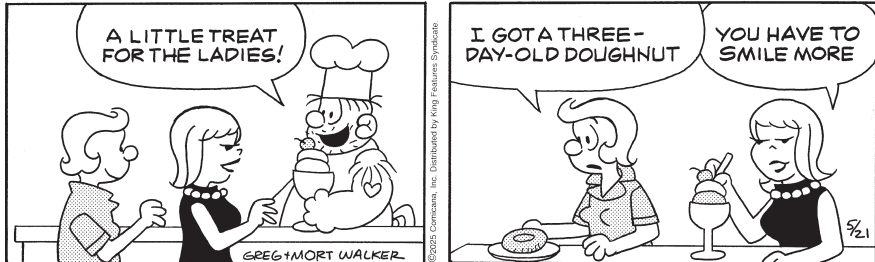
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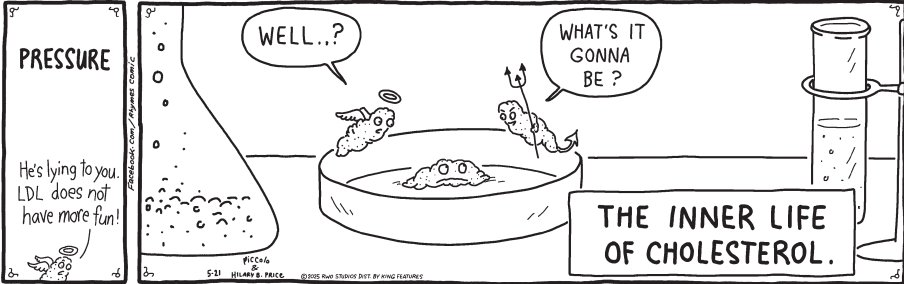
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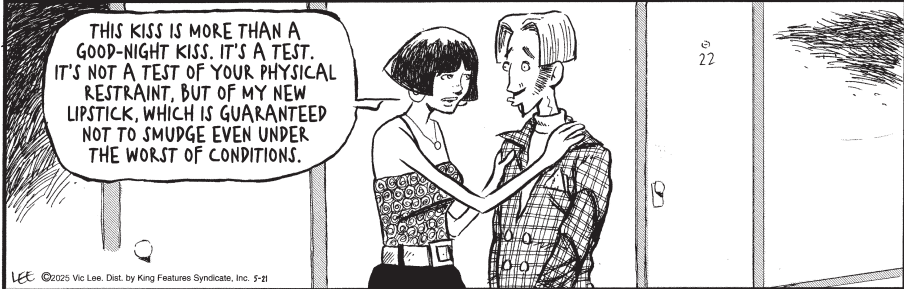
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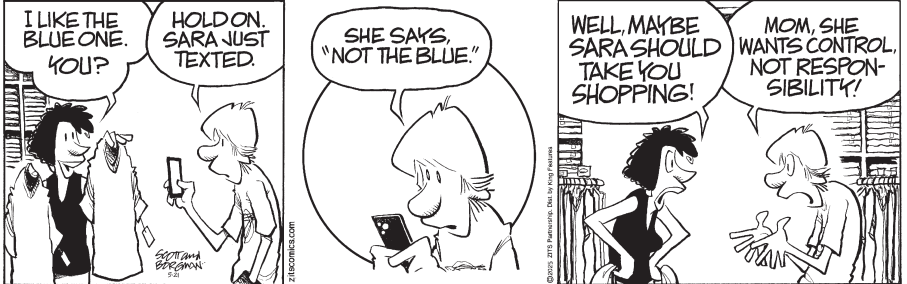
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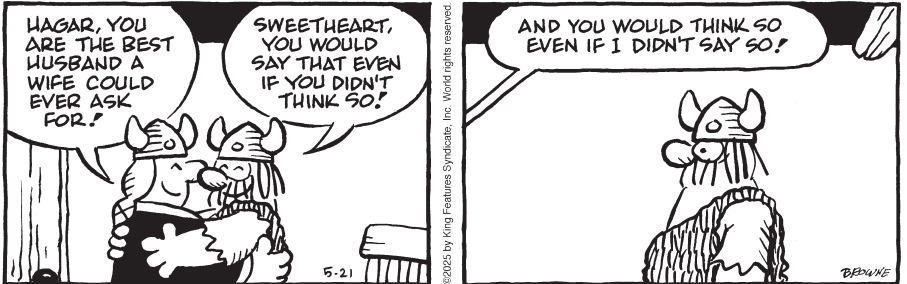
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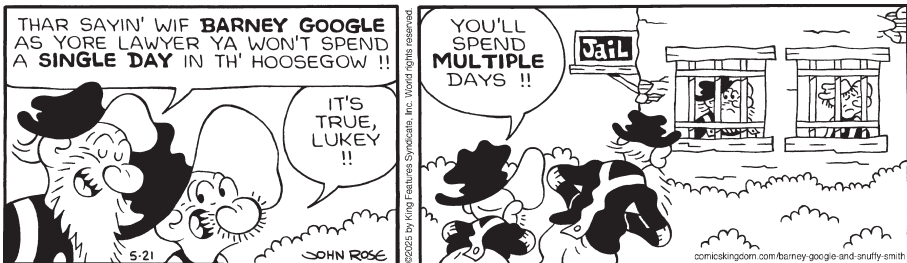
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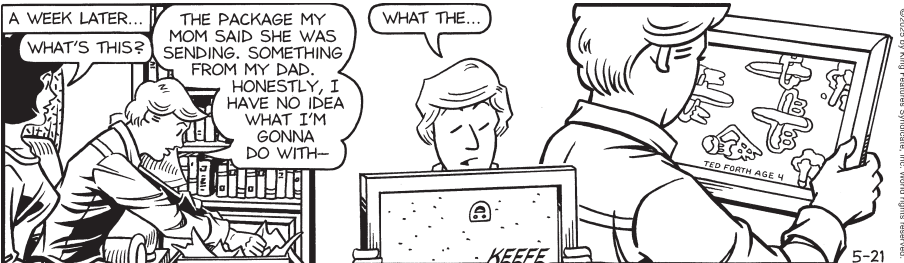
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OBITUARIES

Charles Evan Quinn

Charles Evan Quinn was born on July 21, 1941 in Madison, IN. He was the eldest son of Charles Richard and Edna (Athey) Quinn, with 7 brothers and sisters. Chuck died on Monday, March 24, 2025, at home in his sleep, after a long battle with Alzheimer's disease.

Chuck will be dearly missed by his wife of 61 years, Dorothy Ann Thornton Quinn, of Las Vegas, Nevada, his sister Linda Bocio, and his brother Johnny Quinn or Yuma, AZ. As well as his sons & their spouses - Charles David Quinn and his wife Caryn of Walnut Creek, CA, & Jason Matthew Quinn and his wife Ruriko Yoshino Quinn of Henderson, Nevada. Also, and most importantly, by four grandchildren - Chuck & Caryn's kids, Cayle Renee Quinn (25) of San Diego, CA, & Charles "Chase" Hayden Quinn (22) of Walnut Creek, CA - and Jason & Ruri's kids, Issei Roy Quinn (23) & Kenzo Max Quinn (17) of Henderson, Nevada.

He was preceded in death by his parents Charles Richard and Edna Athey Quinn, his sisters

Helen Anne Liter, Carolyn Whitmer, and Patricia (Pat) Quiones, his brothers Thomas (Tommy), and Michael (Mike) Quinn. Memorial services will be conducted on Saturday, May 24, 2025, at 1 p.m., at the Indiana Veterans Memorial Cemetery Chapel, 1415 North Gate Road in Madison, Indiana. Interment will follow in the Indiana Veterans Memorial Cemetery, 1415 North Gate Road in Madison, IN.

Friends may gather on Saturday, May 24, 2025, from 12:30 p.m., until the time of service at the Indiana Veterans Memorial Cemetery Chapel, 1415 North Gate Road in Madison, IN.

A final salute with military honors will be conducted by the Major Samuel Woodfill Post No. 9 of the American Legion. Memorial contributions may be made to Wounded Warriors or the Vietnam Veterans or Quilts of Valor. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison, and Hanover. Online condolences, remembrances, and memorials, can be left at www.morgan-nay.com.

Marcia Ann Lock

Marcia Ann Lock, age 75, of Vevay and Madison, IN, entered this life on July 6, 1949, in Madison. She was the daughter of the late, Ronald W. and Marieanne (Dickason) Lock. Marcia passed away at 7:05 a.m., Thursday, May 15, 2025, at the Norton King's Daughters' Hospital in Madison.

Marcia is survived by her brothers, Kenneth R. Lock and his wife, Teri of Jenks, OK, and Kevin W. Lock and his wife, Diane of Madison, IN; her nieces and nephews, Ben Lock and his wife, Julie, Lindsay Carrington and her husband, Justin, Trent Lock and his wife, Samantha, Brad Lock, and Troy Lock and his wife, Ashley; and her great-nieces and great-nephews, Ayden Lock, Payton Lock, Kingston Johnson, Mika Carrington, Kaia Carrington, and Cyrus Lock, and her cousins.

She was preceded in death by her father, Ronald W. Lock, her mother, Mari-

anne (Dickason) Lock, her nephew, Dominic Lock, her maternal-grandparents, William C. Dickason, and Margaret (Scott) Dickason, and her paternal-grandparents, Jesse Amos Lock, and Helen Leota (Manuel) Lock.

Visitation was held from noon to 2 p.m., Monday, May 19, 2025, at the Haskell & Morrison Funeral Home, 208 Ferry Street, Vevay, IN.

Funeral services were held Monday, May, 19, 2025, at 2 p.m., by Pastor Bob Hicks, at the Haskell & Morrison Funeral Home.

Interment followed in the Vevay Cemetery, Vevay, IN.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Switzerland County Animal Shelter, Jefferson County Animal Shelter, or St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. Cards are available at the funeral home, or online, at www.haskelland-morrison.com.

County jail facility honored as state finalist for engineering excellence

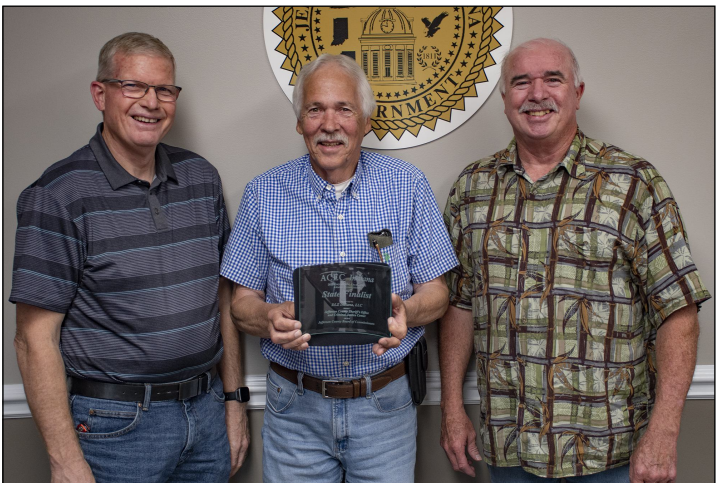
BY THE COURIER STAFF

Jefferson County Sheriff's Office and Criminal Justice Center was recently named a 2025 state finalist at the Indiana Engineering Excellence Awards by the American Council of Engineering Companies of Indiana (ACEC-Indiana).

The \$45 million jail facility was completed in December 2023 with inmates moving in starting January 2024. The award was presented to the County Commissioners and DLZ Indiana LLC, which was the architect for the project.

The project included an approximately 84,656 gross square footage facility with 300 rated inmate beds and a central elevated control room. It has a two-bay drive-through vehicle sallyport and intake booking, with six-hour temporary juvenile holding, medical holding, program classrooms, laundry and kitchen.

The administration area includes offices, conference rooms and associated support spaces. A squad room, armory, evidence processing/storage, and training room are also included.



Bob Demaree

Jefferson County Sheriff's Office and Criminal Justice Center was recently named a 2025 state finalist at the Indiana Engineering Excellence Awards by the American Council of Engineering Companies of Indiana. Pictured with the award are (from left) Commissioners David Bramer, Bobby Little and Ron Lee.

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Sports

MADISON COURIER BOYS BASKETBALL PLAYER OF THE YEAR

Craig leaves Switzerland Co. as best in school history

BY DAVID CAMPBELL

It's not often that a highly anticipated basketball player comes into high school and lives up to all the hype, but that's exactly what Cam Craig has done.

Long before he stepped foot on the court Switzerland County High School, the talk was that Craig would end up being the best-ever to wear the Pacers colors. Four years later, he graduates as just that.

"He's a pretty level-headed guy and just went about his daily job and worked hard. He never got caught up in the hype," Switzerland coach Travis Wrightsman said. "He had had an outstanding career in the junior high level and AAU and all that stuff, and played into big national tournaments and he came in just like one of the guys from Switzerland County. And that's what's so great about him."

Other than his sophomore year, which he missed due to injury, Craig has been nearly unstoppable during his high school career and this year was no exception. A true five-position player, Craig did a little of everything and finished his career with 1,667 points — the most in school history — as well as setting school records for points in a game and career rebounds.

It's no surprise that Craig is the Madison Courier Boys Basketball Player of the Year for a second-straight year. But despite it all, the humble Craig is still in awe of his accomplishments.

"I just got goosebumps talking about it," Craig said. "It's everything you could have wish for as a kid, growing up, loving the game. I'm just really proud of what we did over



Nina Campbell

Switzerland County's Cam Craig is the Madison Courier Boys Basketball Player of the Year for the second-straight year.

my four years."

Craig averaged more than 19 points per game as a freshman and was on pace to blow by 2,000 points in his career when a broken foot ended his sophomore season after just a few games. He came back strong a year ago, averaging 25.2 points and 9.8 rebounds per game as the Pacers won their first sectional championship since 2013.

This past season, Craig was the focal point on a team hit hard by injuries but still managed to average 21 points and 9.3 rebounds per game.

It's hard to pinpoint Craig's biggest strength. He's a deadly outside shooter who, at 6-foot-4, can also dominate around the rim. He can run the floor and has been known to play point guard at times.

"He's one of those guys that can

shoot it really well and I always felt like he was just unstoppable on the post. If he was 6-foot-7 or 6-foot-8, he would have been able to go anywhere he wanted," Wrightsman said. "And the thing with Cam was, he worked hard every day in practice. He studied game film. He was a student of the game. And I think that's an attribute to him wanting to be the best he could be by doing those type of things. He worked on the court, obviously, but he worked off the court as well. He just loves watching basketball."

It's not surprising that Craig has decided that he wants to coach basketball down the road. Meanwhile, he has committed to play basketball at Mount St. Joseph University where he plans to major in education with an eye toward coaching. He just wants

to give back to the game he loves so much.

It's a love that he developed during his year away from the game. Like anybody else, Craig was at first angry at having his chance to play taken away by injury. But he then used that time off to develop his game in other areas.

"I kind of turned to God after all that happened, and really found my love through the game within," Craig said. "I was struggling that year and really sitting on the sidelines just kind of made me realize how much of a privilege it is to play the game."

Craig will get a chance to play for a familiar face at Mount St. Joseph, former Hanover College player Toby Carrigan, who graduated from nearby Rising Sun where he played at the same time as Craig's mother, Jennifer

(Brock) Craig.

Craig can't wait to get to Mount. "I've talked to Coach Carrigan many times, and just really love how he's from a small town, even if it is a rival," Craig said with a smile. "I felt like I've known him forever. I just love that home feeling there, and I will definitely look forward to the next four years."

Wrightsman knows that Craig will fit right in at Mount.

"I know Toby was very impressed with Cam and Cam was very impressed with Coach Carrigan and I think it's going to be a great fit for him" Wrightsman said. "I am looking forward to watching him over the next four years and see him grow as a player and grow as a person, and I know he's excited for it."

BOYS BASKETBALL AWARDS

Seniors dominate post-season awards

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BY DAVID CAMPBELL

After several years with underclassmen dominating the awards list, this year's Madison Courier Boys Basketball Postseason awards are chock full of seniors.

All five members of the All-Courierarea First Team are seniors, including Switzerland County's Cam Craig, who is the player of the year for the second-straight year. Meanwhile the Second Team features one senior and four juniors, keeping the upperclass trend going.

Craig averaged a near-double-double with 21 points and 9.3 rebounds per game but he wasn't even one of the top two scorers in the area in a year where scoring numbers were up. Shawe senior Braiden Smith led the area in scoring at 22.3 points per game while Carroll senior Cooper Gutman averaged 21.7 ppg as both players earned First Team honors.

No scoring stats for Madison's Landon True were available, but the senior set the school record for 3-pointers in a game twice and broke the record for threes in a season and career during an outstanding senior campaign. Southwestern's Landon Kidwell had a strong season inside for the talented Rebels, averaging 14.7 points and 6.4 rebounds per game.

Kidwell was the leading scorer on a very-balanced Southwestern team that went 18-6 this past season and could have had all five starters honored. As it was, juniors Brady Cook (12.1 ppg), Caleb Goode (10.8 ppg) and Braxton Lewis (14.0 ppg) were all named to the Second Team with senior Adam Traylor earning an unofficial status as honorable mention. In addition, Southwestern coach Zac Nussbaum was named coach of the year for the fifth year in a row.



David Campbell

SOUTHWESTERN COACH ZAC NUSSBAUM



Mark Campbell

TRIMBLE COUNTY'S HUDSON JENT.

ALL-COURIER AREA TEAM

FIRST TEAM

Name|School|Cl.|Pos.|Key Stats
Cam Craig|Switzerland Co.|Sr.|F|21.0 ppg, 9.3 rpg
Cooper Gutman|Carroll Co.|Sr.|G|21.7 ppg, 6.5 rpg
Landon Kidwell|Southwestern|Sr.|C|14.7 ppg, 6.4 rpg
Braiden Smith|Shawe|Sr.|G/F|22.3 ppg, 8.4 rpg
Landon True|Madison|Sr.|G|N/A

Caleb Goode|Southwestern|Jr.|G|10.8 ppg|2.1 apg
Damon Harden|Madison|Sr.|G|N/A
Ethan Keller, Trimble Co.|Jr.|G|10.2 ppg, 69 3s
Braxton Lewis, Southwestern|Jr.|G|14.0 ppg, 2.8 apg

PLAYER OF THE YEAR
Cam Craig, Switzerland Co.
FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR
Hudson Jent, Trimble Co.

COACH OF THE YEAR
Zac Nussbaum, Southwestern

LOCAL SPORTS CALENDAR

TUESDAY, MAY 20 BASEBALL Shawe at Crothersville, 5 p.m. Madison hosts Austin, 6 p.m. Carroll Co./Owen Co. vs. Eminence/Henry Co., KHSAA 31st District Championship at Carroll Co., 6:30 p.m. GOLF Switzerland Co. hosts Shawe, Trinity Lutheran, 5 p.m. SOFTBALL Trimble Co./Carroll Co. vs. Henry Co./Owen Co., KHSAA 31st District Championship at Carroll Co., 6:30 p.m. TRACK & FIELD Madison, Shawe, Southwestern, Switzerland Co, girls, IHSAA Sectionals at Madison, 6 p.m.	land Co., 5 p.m. Madison hosts South Dearborn, 5:30 p.m. TENNIS Madison, Shawe, Southwestern girls, IHSAA Sectional Tournament at Scottsburg, TBA THURSDAY, MAY 22 BASEBALL Southwestern at Seymour, 5:30 p.m. Madison hosts Silver Creek 6 p.m. GOLF Shawe boys host Switzerland Co., Milan, 4:30 p.m. Madison boys host Lawrenceburg, 5 p.m. SOFTBALL Madison at Providence, 5:30 p.m. TRACK & FIELD Madison, Shawe, Southwestern, Switzerland Co, boys, IHSAA Sectionals at Madison, 6 p.m.
WEDNESDAY, MAY 21 BASEBALL Shawe at South Ripley, 5 p.m. Southwestern hosts Switzerland Co., 5 p.m. GOLF Southwestern boys host New Washington, 4:30 p.m. SOFTBALL Southwestern hosts Switzer-	FRIDAY, MAY 23 SOFTBALL Southwestern at Eastern (Pekin), 5 p.m. Switzerland Co. at Lawrenceburg, 5:30 p.m.

Madison falls to Jeffersonville in sectional semifinals

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Madison battled hard in a three-set loss to eventual sectional champion Jeffersonville in the semifinals of the IHSAA Boys Volleyball Sectional Tournament at New

Albany on Saturday. The Cubs lost the three sets by scores of 25-17, 25-19, 25-14 but were within striking distance in the first two games before falling short. No stats for Madison were available.

Madison reached the semifinals with a rousing five-set comeback win over Floyd Central in the opening round on Thursday, 16-25, 25-18, 16-25, 25-18, 15-13. Kyle Roney had 11 kills and 10 digs for the Cubs,

Nick Jines had nine kills, Branson Cline had eight kills and 14 digs, Jaden Woolridge had 13 digs, and Aiden Smith had 31 assists and nine digs. Southwestern suffered a 3-0 (25-4, 25-3, 25-11) loss to Jeffersonville in the

opening round on Thursday. Pagerick Giltner had a kill for the Rebels, Jay Brooks had a block, Julio Moreno had three digs and Angel Hernandez-Perez had an assist. Jeffersonville (29-5) swept

Silver Creek 25-17, 25-19, 25-19 on Saturday night to win the sectional championship. Madison ends the season with a 16-12 record while Southwestern finishes at 0-8.

31ST DISTRICT BASEBALL

Carroll knocks off Gallatin to reach semifinals

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Carroll County scored in every inning to pull away for a 12-2 win over Gallatin County in the opening round of the 31st District Baseball Tournament at Carroll County on Saturday.

After spotting Gallatin a 2-0 lead, the Panthers scored a run in the first inning, three in the second, two in the third and three in both the fourth and fifth innings to claim the win. Colton Dietz was 2-for-3 with a double and three RBIs for the Panthers, Luke Taylor was 2-for-3 with a double and two RBIs, Landon Supplee had two hits, an RBI and scored two runs, Bryce Furnish had a hit, an RBI and two runs, and Dalten Wilson had a hit and two

RBIs. Preston Snow got the win after pitching three scoreless innings in relief, allowing just one hit and striking out six. **TRIMBLE OUSTED BY EMINENCE** Trimble County saw its season end with a 14-5 loss to Eminence in the 31st District opener in Carrollton on Saturday. Dylan Penick was 2-for-3 with a double and two RBIs

for the Raiders, Liam Taylor had a triple and scored twice, Jacoby Clark had a hit and an RBI, and Trevor Lile and David Poe each had a hit. Penick suffered the loss despite allowing just one earned run on five hits in an inning and a third. Trimble ends the season with an 8-16 record. Carroll, now 12-10 on the season, hosted Owen County in the district semifinals on Monday. The championship game is Tuesday at 6:30 p.m.

Carroll, Trimble compete in regional track meet

BY THE COURIER STAFF

The track & field teams from Carroll County and Trimble County competed in the Class 1A Region 5 meet at Gallatin County on Saturday. Neither school produced a regional champion—Carroll County's Macie Miller and Aiden Lilly were runners-up in the girls high jump and boys 300 hurdles for the top local finishes—and Trimble County's Jamison Isley broke the school record in the boys shot put at 40 feet, 9.5 inches while placing sixth. A handful of athletes finished in the top three and will have to wait until this week to find out if they qualified for the state finals. Top results for the Carroll County girls were: Macie Miller, second, high jump, 4-8, fifth, pole vault, 5-6 and seventh, 100 hurdles, 18.88; Helany Gutierrez, sixth, long jump, 14-4 and eighth, high jump, 4-0; Cloie McGuire, seventh, 300 hurdles, 52.02; Amabelle Tanzilla, seventh, shot put, 26-8.5 and eighth, discus, 70-0; 800 relay, seventh, 2:04.74; and 1600 relay, ninth, 5:27.93. Top results for the Carroll County boys were: Aiden Lilley, second, 300 hurdles, 46.11 and third, high jump, 5-6; 3200 relay, fourth, 9:50.49; 1600 relay, sixth, 4:27.24; Alex Bolton, seventh, 1600 run, 5:16.12; 400 relay, seventh, 49.24; Teague Walls, eighth, 400 dash, 55.34; and Taylor Harsin, 10th, 800 run, 2:21.40. Top results for the Trimble County girls were: Avery Stockdale, fourth, 1600 run, 6:06.71 and sixth, 800 run, 2:47.48; Saylah Lott, 12th, shot put, 21-5.5; Kinsten Long, 13th, 400 dash, 1:14.27 and 13th, 800 run, 2:57.22; and Autumn Kaltenbach, 13th, discus, 58-11. Top results for the Trimble County boys were: Owen Jackson, third, 400 dash, 53.10; John Campomayor, third, pole vault, 9-6; Charlie Abbott, fifth, discus, 116-9 and 10th, shot put, 36-10; and Jamison Isley, sixth, discus, 114-6. Lexington Christian swept both team championships, winning the boys with 122 points and the girls with 214. Carroll's boys placed ninth with 19 points and Trimble County was 11th with 16. Carroll's girls placed 11th with 11 points and Trimble was 13th with five points.

31ST DISTRICT SOFTBALL

Carroll advances with shutout win over Eminence

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Carroll County had little trouble with Eminence, rolling to a 15-0 win in the opening round of the 31st District Softball Tournament at Carroll

County on Saturday. Madi Groves tossed a three-inning, one-hit shutout in the circle for the Panthers with three strikeouts. Offensively, Carroll had 13 hits with Brooklyn Rose going 3-for-3 with a home run, a triple, four RBIs and three runs scored. Macy Coghill was 3-for-3 with two doubles and an RBI, Groves was 2-for-2 with a double and two RBIs, Audrey Carli had a triple and three RBIs, and Taylor Butler had a hit and an RBI.

TRIMBLE AWAITS CARROLL AFTER BYE Trimble County had a first-round bye by virtue of earning the No. 2 seed. The Raiders closed out the regular season Thursday by hammering Eminence 16-0 on a Alyssa Ritchie three-inning no-hitter. Ritchie struck out five. Jaelynn Holbrook had two hits and three RBIs for Trimble, Ritchie and Shelby Wright each had two hits

and an RBI, Jocie Stucker had a double and an RBI and Hannah Chilton, Alana Washington and Savannah Oldson each had a hit and an RBI. Carroll County (16-6) and Trimble County (17-9) faced off against each other in the semifinals of the 31st District Tournament on Monday in Carrollton. The winner will take on Henry County or Owen County in the championship game on Tuesday.

Switzerland softball picks up two wins

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Switzerland County softball won back-to-back games for the first time this season in a pair of close outcomes decided by late rallies against Oldenburg Academy and Jac-Cen-Del late last week. The Pacers scored seven runs

in the top of the seventh inning to beat Oldenburg 18-15 on Thursday. Rylee Monjar had three hits, two RBIs and scored two runs for Switzerland, Alayna Smith had three hits and an RBI, Macy Cook had three hits and scored four runs, Bri Stow, Klayre Smith and

Mallory Bear each went 2-for-4 with a double and three RBI, and Reagan Beard was 2-for-4 with a double. Stow allowed three earned runs on three hits with three strikeouts and three walks in seven innings for the win. Switzerland scored a run in the

bottom of the seventh to post a 5-4 win over Jac-Cen-Del on Saturday. Stow had a double and an RBI for the Pacers and also got the win after allowing two unearned runs on two hits in seven innings. Beard had a double and scored a run, Cook had a single and an

RBI and Smith and Aryonna Cunningham each had a hit. Switzerland, now 3-12 overall and 2-6 Ohio River Valley Conference, traveled to Jac-Cen-Del on Monday and heads to Southwestern on Wednesday before going to Lawrenceburg on Friday.

BOYS

FROM PAGE B1

Madison's Damon Harden had an outstanding season, even breaking True's single-game 3-point record once, and earned Second Team honors while Trimble County's Ethan Keller knocked down 69 3s at a 33% clip and averaged 10.2 points per game to also earn Second Team honors. Trimble County's Hudson Jent averaged 6.4 points per game while playing 28 games and earned Freshman of the Year.



David Campbell
SHAW'S BRAIDEN SMITH



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CARROLL COUNTY'S COOPER GUTMAN



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MADISON CONSOLIDATED HIGH SCHOOL'S LANDON TRUE



David Campbell
SOUTHWESTERN SENIOR LANDON KIDWELL

Switzerland baseball splits doubleheader

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Switzerland County split a baseball doubleheader at home on Saturday, falling 13-2 to Oldenburg but beating Jac-Cen-Del 7-1.

Roman Hite was 2-for-4 with a double while Bryce Eaglin had a double and scored a run for the Pacers in the loss to Oldenburg. Carson Byrd and Zayne Smith each had a hit and an RBI.

Caleb Ridener suffered the loss after allowing four earned runs on six hits in 3-2/3 innings.

Smith tossed a three-hitter in the win over Jac-Cen-Del. Smith struck out 13 and walked only one in seven dominating innings.

Hite had two doubles, an RBI and scored twice for the Pacers. Peyton Turner had two hits and an RBI, Jackson Sparks had two hits and scored twice and Smith had a double.

Switzerland, now 12-8 overall and 8-2 Ohio River Valley Conference, traveled to Jac-Cen-Del on Monday and heads to Southwestern on Wednesday before traveling to South Dearborn on Friday.

Shawe drops close game to Rising Sun, 7-6

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Shawe baseball played one of its best offensive games of the season but once again was denied a win in a 7-6 decision to Rising Sun on Friday at home.

The Hilltoppers had 10 hits in the game with Tyler Hill going 3-for-4 with a double, an RBI and two runs scored. Luis Garcia had two

hits and an RBI, Gus Grote had two hits and scored a run, Traevin Liston had a hit and an RBI and Cavaan Hambrick had Brogan Johnson each had hits.

Liston suffered the loss after allowing three earned runs on six hits in five innings with a strikeout.

Shawe, now 0-17 overall and 0-11 Ohio River Valley Conference, travels to

Crothersville on Tuesday and heads to South Ripley on Wednesday. The Hilltoppers then host Rock Creek on Thursday.



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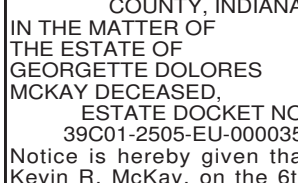
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ESTATE DOCKET NO. 39C01-2505-EU-000035.

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/s/ Tabatha Eblen Clerk of the Jefferson Circuit Court

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The Hanover Town Council has canceled the Public Hearing for the Water Rate Increase Ordinance on Tuesday, May 20, 2025 at 6:00 P.M. The Hearing has been rescheduled to Tuesday, June 17, 2025 at 6:00 P.M. at the Hanover Community Center 200 Spruce Lane Hanover, IN 47243



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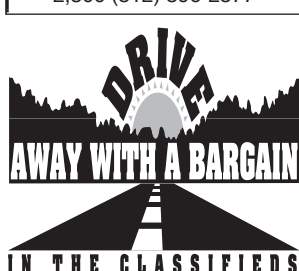
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Southwestern baseball picks two wins on the road

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Southwestern traveled to South Ripley on Friday and Salem on Saturday and came away with wins in both over the weekend.

The Rebels scored three runs in the top of the sixth to post the 5-2 win over South Ripley.

Jeter Chatham had two hits for Southwestern, Adam Traylor had a double and three

RBIs, Brady Cook had a hit and an RBI and Barron Welsh had a single and scored two runs.

Tryson Warren picked up the win after striking out 12 in seven innings and allowing

two earned runs on three hits.

The Rebels again rallied against Salem, scoring two runs in the top of the seventh on a Cook home run to post the 5-3 win.

Southwestern had only three

hits in the game with Traylor and Braxton Lewis each adding safeties. Lewis got the win after allowing three runs on five hits in six innings with four strikeouts.

Southwestern, now 14-7

overall and 9-1 Ohio River Valley Conference, hosted Milan on Monday and heads to Scottsburg on Tuesday before hosting Switzerland County on Wednesday and traveling to Seymour on Thursday.



David Campbell

Southwestern pitcher Savannah Childress delivers toward the plate during the Rebels’ loss to Milan on Thursday.

Southwestern softball drops three of four

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Southwestern's softball team lost three conference games in as many days in an action-packed end of the week.

The Rebels fell 14-1 to Milan on Thursday then lost 9-6 to South Ripley on Friday and 15-0 to Rising Sun on Saturday before hammering New Washington 17-7 on Saturday.

Southwestern was limited to just four hits in the loss to Milan. Rorie Scroggins had a hit and scored a run, Riley Crawford, Chloey Leach and Jenna Owens each had a hit

and Baleigh McAfee had an RBI for the Rebels.

Leach allowed seven earned runs in three innings for the loss.

Crawford had a huge game at the plate in the loss to South Ripley, going 3-for-5 with her first over-the-fence home run, a triple, two RBIs and two runs scored. McAfee was 2-for-4 with a double, Lilly Fox had two hits and an RBI, Maggie Jester had a hit and an RBI and Scroggins had a hit and scored a run.

Leach again got the loss after allowing four earned runs on 11 hits in six innings with

seven strikeouts.

The Rebels were held to three hits in the loss to Rising Sun: a double by Leach and singles by Scroggins and Jester. Leach gave up three earned runs on three hits in three innings but took the loss.

Southwestern found its offense with 20 hits in the blowout win over New Washington. Scroggins was 4-for-5 with a double and three RBIs, Owens was 3-for-4 with two doubles, a triple, five RBIs and a run scored, Leach had three hits and two RBIs, McAfee had three hits and

scored four runs, Crawford was 2-for-4 with a double and three runs, Fox was 2-for-5 with a double and two RBIs, and Jester had a hit and two RBIs.

Leach got the win with nine strikeouts in six innings.

Southwestern, now 9-10 overall and 1-7 in the Ohio River Valley Conference, hosted Providence on Monday and hosts Switzerland County on Wednesday before heading to Jac-Cen-Del on Thursday, Eastern (Pekin) on Friday and South Central on Saturday.

Southwestern golfers win easily

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Southwestern boys golf scored an easy win in a four-way meet at Butler Falls Golf Course on Thursday.

The Rebels shot a 159 to easily out-pace runner-up Austin, which had a 218. New Washington was third with

a 236 and Shawe did not field a complete team.

Brothers Wayde Barker and Wyatt Barker each shot 37s to lead Southwestern and tie for low-medalist honors while Braxton Lewis had a 42 and Max Joseph and Blake Boley each shot 43s.

In non-scoring rounds,

Talon Wynn had a 39, Adam Boley a 44, Ayden Bowling a 50, Ben Owens a 51, Shane Hardy a 53, Ryan Hall a 64 and Jackson Morris a 68.

A.J. Skelton led Shawe with a 51, his best-ever nine-hole score, and Orin Elkins had a 57.

Southwestern hosted

Oldenburg and New Washington on Monday and hosts New Washington again on Wednesday. Shawe hosts Switzerland County and Milan on Wednesday at Sunrise Golf Course.

Bell defeats Logano in action-packed NASCAR All-Star Race at North Wilkesboro

BY NATE RYAN
ASSOCIATED PRESS

Christopher Bell loves North Wilkesboro Speedway, and Joey Logano hates the “Promoter’s Caution.”

Those were the main takeaways from the top two finishers in an action-packed NASCAR All-Star Race at the 0.625-mile oval in North Wilkesboro, North Carolina.

In a slam-bang affair that set a record for lead changes, Bell beat Logano by 0.829 seconds to earn his first All-Star Race victory. Bell, who won three consecutive Cup Series races earlier this season but had a previous best All-Star finish of 10th, delivered the third All-Star Race win for Joe Gibbs Racing.

“That right there is absolutely incredible,” Bell said. “North Wilkesboro, best short track on the schedule.”

He also is a fan of Marcus Smith, the president and CEO of Speedway Motorsports that owns North Wilkesboro Speedway. In a new All-Star Race wrinkle, Smith was allowed to choose when to throw a “Promoter’s Caution” that would bunch the field for a late restart.

Smith sent two-time Daytona 500 winner and Fox Sports personality Michael



Scott Kinser/AP photo

Christopher Bell celebrates after winning the NASCAR All-Star auto race on Sunday in North Wilkesboro, N.C.

Waltrip to the flag stand to display the random yellow flag on Lap 217 with Logano leading by about a half-second over Bell.

Logano, who was trying to win his second consecutive All-Star Race, elected to stay on track rather than pit during the caution, and the decision proved costly. Bell pitted for two fresh tires, restarted in sixth and needed only five laps to catch Logano. After

a battle for first that lasted a dozen laps, Bell took the lead for good on Lap 241 of 250.

“I’m pissed off right now,” said Logano, who led a race-high 139 laps. “Just dang it, we had the fastest car. I’m trying to choose my words correctly on the caution situation. Obviously, I got bit by it, so I am the one frustrated.”

It was a stark turnaround

for the defending Cup Series champion, who recently said he supported the “Promoter’s Caution” because “the All-Star Race presents the opportunity to try things outside of the box.” But he was questioning its validity after Sunday’s race.

“Yeah, I’m all about no gimmicks with the caution,” Logano said. “I am all about that. Me and Marcus Smith

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Undermanned Rebels knock off CAI

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Southwestern gutted out a 3-2 win over Christian Academy of Indiana in girls tennis Thursday on the road.

Annie Ford scored a 6-3, 7-5 win at No. 1 singles while the No. 1 doubles team of Raygan Crawford and Ava Barnes improved to 13-1 on the season with a 6-1, 6-0 win. The No. 2 doubles team of Kaylee Hite and Jocelyn Johnson won 6-1, 6-0 to improve to 14-1 and secure the team win.

Emma Hatton lost 6-1, 6-3 at No. 2 singles and Adalei Watson fell 6-1, 6-0 at No. 3 singles.

“These two doubles teams have been as good as I have ever coached and I have had some good ones,” Southwestern coach Kenny Garrett said.

Southwestern, now 14-2, wrapped up the regular season at home against Lawrenceburg on Monday. The IHSAA Sectional begins on Wednesday. The draw was held on Monday evening.

CUBS BEAT SHAWE

Madison knocked off Shawe 4-1 in girls tennis on Wednesday.

Winning in singles for the Cubs were Ruby Willoughby (No. 1) and Avery Clayton (No. 2). In doubles, Marley Stivers and Bridgett Boles (No. 1) and Michelle Laguna-Rafael and Olivia Scroggins (No. 2) claimed victory.

Madison hosted Scottsburg on Monday in its final regular-season match. The IHSAA Sectional begins on Wednesday. The draw was held on Monday evening.

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SUMMONS

TO: ANY UNKNOWN INTEREST HOLDERS IN REAL ESTATE LOCATED AT 950+ N. US 421, Madison, IN 47250 THE STATE OF INDIANA to the above persons/entities named as Defendants and any other persons who may be concerned. YOU ARE NOTIFIED that you have been sued in the court above named by the person named as Plaintiff. The nature of the suit is a Complaint to Quiet Title wherein Plaintiff seeks to quiet title to the subject real estate in the name of WFG Properties LLC (legal description below).

LEGAL DESCRIPTION

0.983 Acres

SITUATED IN THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 35, TOWNSHIP 4 NORTH, RANGE 10 EAST, MADISON TOWNSHIP, JEFFERSON COUNTY, INDIANA AND BEING A TRACT OF LAND AS UNKNOWN PROPERTY THIS DESCRIPTION IS BASED ON AN ORIGINAL SURVEY PREPARED BY HREZO ENGINEERING, UNDER THE DIRECT SUPERVISION OF JAMES J. BERTRAM JR. LS #22200012 DATED DECEMBER 17, 2024, HAVING A JOB NUMBER OF 24-374 WITH THE BASIS OF BEARING FOR THIS DESCRIPTION IS THE INDIANA STATE PLANE, US SURVEY FOOT, GEIOD 18, NAD83 AND BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

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THENCE WITH THE EAST LINE OF CRAVENS PLAT, RECORDED IN BOOK 1 PAGE 32 OF COUNTY RECORDS, N17°42'05"E, 1774.10 FEET TO A FOUND 5/8" REBAR CAPPED BY BERTRAM AT THE TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE ALONG THE WESTERLY LINE OF PROPERTY CONVEYED TO WFG PROPERTIES LLC, INSTRUMENT NUMBER 202403513 OF THE JEFFERSON COUNTY RECORD'S RECORDS, S57°55'04"E, 143.20 FEET TO A FOUND 5/8" REBAR WITH CAP IN THE NORTHERLY RIGHT-OF-WAY OF COUNTY ROAD 90 N;

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2. S58°49'26"W, 43.60 FEET TO A SET 5/8" REBAR WITH CAP;

3. S64°15'44"W, 178.67 FEET TO A SET 5/8" REBAR WITH CAP;

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Tabatha Eblen
Clerk of the Superior Court
Jefferson County, Indiana

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SUDOKU

How to play:
Complete the grid so that every row, column and 3x3 box contains every digit from 1 to 9.

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		9					2	
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			2		9		4	

SUDOKU

How to play:
Complete the grid so that every row, column and 3x3 box contains every digit from 1 to 9.

HOROSCOPE

MAY 20
ARIES (March 21-April 19) Stand tall on your own two feet. Your unique spark and self-reliance could fend off sly efforts to chip away at your stance. Keep a close eye on where your resources are going. Don't forget to relax and have fun with your favorite person.
TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Working with others may be challenging but hearing various voices could give you new perspectives on an issue. You might appreciate the skills involved and learn from the different approaches to develop a satisfactory solution.
GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You may be feeling the pull to begin serious planning for your future goals. What you want can't happen unless you take the necessary steps to make it possible. Identify what's currently missing and what you need to fill in the holes.
CANCER (June 21-July 22) Ask, and it's yours. People might be more likely to say yes or grant your wish this week. Now could be the moment to kickstart your top plans or set solid, reachable goals. Flip challenges into wins while fresh ambitions are firing you up.
LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You could be hitting home runs almost every time you flex your competitive edge. Your vibrant personality and fired-up ambition may turn a so-so reaction into a standing ovation. Big dreams and ambitions might help you tap into your best self.
VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) You might have people you can lean on when things get tough. Instead of waiting until you are forced to make the call, let them know how much their support means to you even when you're not in trouble. Do something nice for your loved ones.
LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) Don't be afraid of going the extra mile to do what you deem as right for everyone involved. Sometimes even the smallest gestures are greatly appreciated and remembered. Honesty and honor belong together, and you can live up to high standards.
SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) Stay focused on your goals and dreams. Consider leaning on reliable allies and wise guides. You might spot a chance to push for a raise or snag a new gig. A fresh connection could drop some eye-opening ideas or jar you out of complacency.
SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) Look for opportunities to collaborate with others for triumph. An individual might be the star that helps win the game, but it takes a team to win a championship. Chase your dreams without stepping on anyone's toes.
CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) You might be finding yourself surrounded by helpful advice; most of it should be well intentioned and worthwhile. Listen to the people who may reveal the truths you need to hear. The right words could point you in the proper direction.
AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) Play up your strengths and skills. Be big-hearted and open, even if no one's handing out gold stars for it. Your generosity might quietly push others to step up their game. Your intelligence may feel elevated, so make the most of it.
PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) You might achieve more than you thought possible once you learn to understand and monitor your responses. Just reacting to the world around you doesn't yield the best results. Tune into your true purpose and take the path that feeds your soul.

JUMBLE THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME
By David L. Hoyt and Jeff Knurek

Unscramble these Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

IMRNO
NYIAR
RHGTAE
ULDPXE

HE DIDN'T APPRECIATE THAT THE JOKING ACUPUNCTURIST WAS ---

Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

HOROSCOPE

MAY 21
ARIES (March 21-April 19) Focus on mastering your trade or doing some arts and crafts. Don't end a key relationship over a minor misunderstanding or make an impulsive decision that will end up breaking someone's heart. Take time to ponder and turn within.
TAURUS (April 20-May 20) You might be able to take advantage of sudden upheavals to prove your worth and secure your position. Look for the opportunities available when no one else knows what to do. Be prepared to drive the conversation and take the lead.
GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You may risk an unpleasant surprise if you rely on having the best cards. Consider releasing control and letting go of what was. Your chance of winning could soon come so keep your seat at the table. Stay calm until the facts are clear.
CANCER (June 21-July 22) There could be things you can see and understand which escape everyone else. Explore ways to use your talent to bring that vision to the wider world. Develop the potential you see around you. Let people enjoy the world you create.
LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You may have the opportunity to get in front of a problem and solve it while everyone else is still trying to define the issue. Use your knowledge, skills, and experience to clear things up and take the lead. You may be a hit in a social setting.
VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) When chance knocks, sprint to the door like a gazelle. You could patch things up with someone before things head south. Tackle a simmering challenge with a cool, diplomatic touch and frustrations may evaporate right before your eyes.
LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) Temporary circumstances may create tricky situations. Wait at least until tomorrow to make major decisions, expensive purchases, or crucial financial commitments. Watch out for old habits and behaviors that might annoy your loved ones.
SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) The thrill of an upcoming shift could ignite inspiration and fresh perspectives. As the day progresses, you might itch to break free from your routine, only to discover the other side isn't much greener after all. Learn to appreciate what is.
SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) You may feel stuck staring at the passing train, but your frustration can be put to good use. Stop waiting for the tracks to clear before taking action. Use strategy and your creative urges to plan some alternate routes to your destination.
CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Your life is often subject to the choices of people around you. It's up to you to take matters into your own hands to find the protection and wisdom you need. Consider listening to experts to make an informed decision.
AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) You might be making smart choices to reach the financial or emotional goals you've set for yourself. Don't let sudden challenges slow you down or discourage your efforts. Mistakes could show you how to be better in the future.
PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) Your heart may be full of sympathy and understanding for the people around you who are suffering. You might be inspired to show them your support in whatever way you can. The kindness you provide may come back to you in many ways.

JUMBLE THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME
By David L. Hoyt and Jeff Knurek

Unscramble these Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

GIHEW
CETJE
CDTEOK
PCUOYC

THE GROUNDHOG'S OAK TABLE WAS IN HORRIBLE SHAPE, SO THEY DECIDED THAT THEY ---

Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

WORD SLEUTH • **LATIN WORDS IN ENGLISH**

Z X U Q N T K S M H E B Y V S
P M X J N H E B U U Y V E T Q
O L I U G D S E N O C V B Y W
T R A P L U M K D L I I F D
B T Y D O F D W A A U V D S Q
O M R R N K I N N F G D B O B
Z X R O C E G W E U S E Q O M
O E N L P U G D I P I S N I J
F H F D I P L A U S I B L E C
A Y W D V T A L S Q P T N L R
K I H B R U T R E P F E S C B

Monday's unlisted clue: FIREWOOD

Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.
Tuesday's unlisted clue hint: MADE OF IRON

Agenda	Languid	Obvious	Renegade
Cull	Modicum	Perturb	Stipend
Flux	Mundane	Plausible	Taunt
Insipid	Naive	Rapport	

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WORD SLEUTH • **INSERT A "B" TO MAKE A NEW WORD**

D O L I E B Y V S Q N K H E B
Y W T R O L U J G E B Y W U R
P N G K I D N D G D B Z X V S
Q O M N K I E E G A R A G G E
C A Y L I K N R W O U S Q P N
L J H E C D D E E F M E C A Y
X V U O S E I T T H T I S E Q
P N L N U R N A M A T R L M M
K N J C H U G W F E E A E A U
U C B Z Y C X V U H G N E L L
T R Q P O M L K I H G E U F A

Tuesday's unlisted clue: FERROUS

Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.
Wednesday's unlisted clue hint: CAR SHELTER

Aiding	Cured	Hers	Unending
Alert	Feathered	Limo	Unlocked
Alum	Flame	Noel	Watered
Cued	Gale	Uneaten	

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SHEFFER CROSSWORD

ACROSS
1 Recedes
5 Bedecked
9 Wee bit
12 River to the Rhine
13 Capital on a fjord
14 Rock's Brian
15 Advice for a globe-trotter
17 Year in Spain
18 911 responders
19 Fizzle (out)
21 Paris subway
24 Saxophone range
25 Regretably
26 Promotional item
30 Entirely
31 Delaware capital
32 Tokyo's historic name
33 Revamp
35 YouTube journal

DOWN
1 Chow down
2 Rail aggressively
3 Bikini half
4 Cuts off
5 Filly's brother
6 D-Day carriers
7 "Sting like a bee"
8 Type of radar
9 Kitchen cloths
10 Writer Rice
11 Entryway
16 Comic Philips
20 JFK info
21 Polite address
22 First lady of scat
23 Speak aggressively
24 Say it's so
26 Big D.C. employer
27 "— had it!"
28 Big fusses
29 Jellystone bear
31 Supported a charity
34 Chariot trailer
35 Swerved
37 The Spartans' sch.
38 Greek cheese
39 Cambodia neighbor
40 Revise
41 Lawyer (Abbr.)
44 Big bird
45 Science guru Bill
46 Sushi fish
47 Trio after Q

Solution time: 22 mins.

Today's solution

SHEFFER CROSSWORD

ACROSS
1 Lemon
4 Mafia boss
8 Berry used in smoothies
12 Freudian topic
13 Taxi alter-native
14 Topped
15 Entirely
16 Electronic document marker
18 Pale purple
20 Henri's "yes"
21 Marx or Malden
24 Meager
28 Escape
32 Sheltered
33 Free (of)
34 "Grey's Anatomy" star
36 Great weight
37 "Dream on!"
39 In the lead
41 Paris subway

DOWN
43 Ward of "Gone Girl"
44 Small iced dessert
46 Amarillo's state
50 Headline locale
55 Hosp. scan
56 Platter
57 — mater
58 Still, in verse
59 Baseball's Tommie
60 Unwanted email
61 Pester

Solution time: 23 mins.

Today's solution

Sudoku solution

5	8	9	1	2	7	6	3	4
6	7	2	6	3	9	9	8	1
1	3	6	8	9	4	7	5	2
2	4	5	7	8	3	1	9	6
9	1	8	4	6	2	5	7	3
3	6	7	9	5	1	4	2	8
8	2	1	5	4	9	8	6	7
6	9	4	3	7	1	2	8	5
7	5	3	2	1	6	8	4	9

Jumble solution

MINOR RAINY GATHER DUFLEX
He didn't appreciate that the joking acupuncturist was — NEEDLING HIM

Sleuth solution

SHEFFER CROSSWORD

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Solution time: 23 mins.

Today's solution

Clark's triple-double lifts Fever over Sky 93-58

INDIANAPOLIS — Caitlin Clark opened the WNBA season with the third triple-double of her career, and the new-look Indiana Fever dominated the final 16 1/2 minutes Saturday to pull away from the revamped Chicago Sky 93-58.

Last season's WNBA Rookie of the Year finished with 20 points, 10 rebounds and 10 assists while blocking a career-high four shots.

Aliyah Boston added 19 points, 13 rebounds and five blocks, while Natasha Howard scored 15 points in her Fever debut.

DeWanna Bonner also scored seven points to move into third on the WNBA's career scoring list, passing Tina Thompson. Bonner now has 7,489 points.

Indiana's victory margin matched the second-largest in franchise history.

Angel Reese had 12 points and 17 rebounds for the Sky, who lost three of four last season to Indiana. Ariel Atkins added 11 points.

But the game was defined by the newest chapter in the Clark-Reese rivalry. This time, it came on a hard foul from Clark across Reese's arm, which jarred the ball loose and knocked Reese to the floor with 4:38 left in the third quarter. When Reese

jumped up to confront Clark, Fever center Aliyah Boston stepped between the two players as Clark walked away from the skirmish.

The referees upgraded Clark's foul to a flagrant 1 and assessed technical fouls to Reese and Boston following a replay review.

But after Reese made one of two free throws and Courtney Vandersloot made a layup on the ensuing pos-

session, Indiana closed the third quarter on a 9-0 run to take a 65-45 lead. The Sky never really threatened Indiana's lead.

Fever coach Stephanie White earned the first win of her second coaching tenure in her first game back in the state where she won Indiana's 1994-95 Miss Basketball Award and led Purdue to the 1998-99 national championship.

BELL

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aren't seeing eye to eye right now, okay? I've got to have a word with him."

Ross Chastain finished third, followed by Alex Bowman and Chase Elliott.

The "Promoter's Caution" was introduced to guarantee an exciting finish, but the All-Star Race hardly needed much help this year.

After lackluster showings in the first two outings, the All-Star Race delivered much more action in its third year at North Wilkesboro Speedway. There were 18 lead changes, breaking the mark of 13 (set in 2016) for the most in the event's 41-year history.

Pole-sitter Brad Keselowski and Logano traded the lead twice in the first 10 laps and often ran side by side for the lead. There were six leaders and 10 lead changes in the first half of the race, which topped the total

number of leaders (four) and lead changes (five) in the past two All-Star Races combined.

After leading 62 laps, Keselowski's bid for his first All-Star Race victory ended with a crash on Lap 177.

ALL-STAR OPEN RESULTS

Capitalizing on pit strategy, Carson Hocevar led the final 46 laps to win the All-Star Open earlier Sunday and advanced into the NASCAR All-Star Race.

Runner-up John Hunter Nemechek also advanced to the main event by finishing second in the 100-lap warmup race.

Noah Gragson won an online fan vote to earn the final transfer spot to the All-Star Race, whose field will included 20 other drivers competing for \$1 million.

Pole-sitter Shane van Gisbergen finished 13th after leading the first 54 laps on the 0.625-mile oval. The New Zealand native, who is in his first full Cup Series season after winning three Supercar championships in Australia, fell from first to sixth

on a four-tire pit stop during the halfway caution.

"I don't know whether to smile or cry," said van Gisbergen, who is ranked 35th in the points standings with one top 10 this season. "It's been a dismal year for us, but I feel like we're getting better every week. This shows it."

MORE MONEY

The All-Star Race winner's share has been \$1 million since the 2003 event, and some drivers have grumbled that an increase for inflation is well overdue.

"I definitely think it should get raised," 2023 Cup Series champion Ryan Blaney said this week. "That's the only thing about the All-Star Race I'd probably change. I don't want to get greedy, but I think you can raise it to \$3 million."

Bubba Wallace said he'd suggest \$5 million but would be good for a bump to \$3 million.

"They've got more TV money, so why not," Wallace said, referring to NASCAR's media rights raising to \$1.1 billion annually in a deal starting this year.



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Christopher Bell celebrates winning the NASCAR All-Star auto race on Sunday in North Wilkesboro, N.C.

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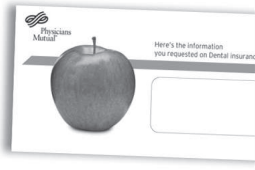
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